## **Paxlovid Treatment:** COVID-19 Rebound

Paxlovid is a COVID-19 treatment and is recommended for early stage treatment of mild to moderate COVID-19 among persons at high risk for severe disease. Paxlovid treatment helps prevent hospitalization and death due to COVID-19. COVID-19 rebound has been reported to occur between 2 and 8 days after initial recovery and is characterized by a return of COVID-19 symptoms or a new positive viral test after having tested negative. Below are important things to know regarding COVID-19 rebound:

- You may be experiencing COVID-19 rebound if you have been diagnosed in the past 2 weeks and have recovered from COVID-19 and then experience recurrent COVID-19 symptoms or develop newly positive test results after recovery.
- If you experience COVID-19 rebound, you should follow CDC's isolation guidance. Isolate again and restart the recommended 5-day isolation period at the time of recurrence of symptoms or a new positive COVID-19 test result. You can end reisolation after 5 days if you are fever-free for 24 hours without the use of feverreducing medication and your symptoms are improving. You should also wear a mask for 10 days after rebound.
- Contact a healthcare provider if your COVID-19 rebound symptoms persist or worsen.
- Consult with your healthcare provider if you have additional questions about your treatment.
- You are encouraged to report a possible case of COVID-19 rebound after Paxlovid treatment to Pfizer using the following online tool, Pfizer Safety Reporting at wchd.pub/pfizerreporting.

Please contact your doctor if you have questions regarding Paxlovid COVID-19 Treatment.



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